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## RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

GREAT JACKSON ROUTE.	
ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD.	
After May 21, 1886, trains will leave Milan as follows:	
SOUTH.	
No. 1, at 6:10 am	No. 2, at 5:44 am
No. 3, at 1:15 pm	No. 4, at 12:15 pm
Passengers are also allowed to ride on the following freight trains daily except Sunday:	
SOUTH.	
No. 7, at 2:40 pm	No. 8, at 10:40 am
E. M. BROWN, Ticket Agent.	
A. H. HANSON, Gen'l. Pass. Agent, Chicago.	
H. J. W. COLEMAN, Ass't. G. P. A., New Orleans, La.	
LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE R.	
Trains leave Milan as follows on and after July 2, 1886.	
PASSENGER TRAINS.	
No. 1, south, leaves at.....	1:20 am
No. 2, north, .....	12:35 pm
No. 3, south, .....	2:10 pm
No. 4, north, .....	1:45 am
Fast freight train leaves at.....	
O. F. CANTWELL, Ticket Agent.	
N. C. & St. L.	
On and after July 12th, 1885, passenger trains West	
Lv Nashville.....	Ar McKenzie
7:45 am.....	12: 5 m
7:15 pm.....	12: 00 pm
2:10 am.....	6:47 am
EASTBOUND.	
Ar McKenzie 3:02 pm	Ar Nashville 7:45 pm
4:20 am.....	9:00 am
8:00 pm.....	12:40 am
O. F. CANTWELL, Agent.	

## Democratic Ticket.

For Supreme Judges.  
For the State at Large,  
PETER TURNER, of Franklin Co.  
W. C. CALDWELL, of Gibson Co.

For the Eastern Division,  
D. L. SNODGRASS, of Hamilton Co.

For the Middle Division,  
H. H. LURTON, of Montgomery Co.

For the Western Division,  
W. C. FOLKES, of Shelby County.

For Circuit Judge of the 12th Judicial Circuit of Tennessee,  
W. H. SWIGGART, of Oison County.

For Attorney General of the 12th Judicial Circuit of Tennessee,  
JOHN R. BOND, of Haywood County.

For Chancellor of the 10th Chancery Division of Tennessee,  
JOHN SOMERS, of Weakley County.

## GIBSON COUNTY TICKET.

For Sheriff,  
T. J. PARR.

For County Court Clerk,  
JOHN D. CARNE.

For Circuit Court Clerk at Trenton,  
J. W. VICK.

For Clerk of the Humboldt Law Clerk,  
M. H. JOHNSON.

For Trustee,  
WM. GAY.

For Register,  
SAM. H. THOMAS.

For Constable of.....District.

For School Director.....district.

## Arrested for Wife Murder.

As will be remembered, an account of the killing of Mrs. McEwen near Gibson was published in these columns some months since, reported to have been done by unknown parties. Since then suspicion has gained ground in the neighborhood that her husband, B. McEwen, was guilty of the terrible murder, and the grand jury at Humboldt last week investigated the matter thoroughly, resulting in a true bill being found against him. We hear that his bond was fixed at \$4000, which he had not secured at last reports.

## To the Voters.

On account of my wife's serious illness, I am unable to be out and campaign with you. I hope that my friends will not forget me on the day of election.

W. C. TURNER

## SMALL CHANGE.

Vote  
Vote early.  
Vote the straight ticket.  
Vote for all the nominees.  
Let every democrat attend the primary conventions to-day.  
Master Kirby Hale has our thanks for a big, fine canteloupe.  
Grapes, canteloupes and watermelons are becoming plentiful.  
Mr. W. B. Williams will hold the election here next Thursday.  
The democratic county convention meets in Trenton next Monday.  
A magnificent rain fell here Monday, causing the heart of the farmer to rejoice exceedingly.  
Dr. Merritt, veterinary surgeon, has a card in this paper, headed "Something New." Read it.

We publish the regular democratic ticket this week, to be voted next Thursday. See that yours is like it. Just as we went to press our announcement column was knocked into "pie," and some of them are left out.

The farmers' congress of Tennessee will meet in Union City on the second Thursday in August. Programs will be out at an early day.

The editor of the Exchange was too sick yesterday to go to his office. If any omissions of editorial or news matter occur, please attribute the fact to this cause.

Edwards & Shepherd, having sold a car load of the famous Tennessee Wagons recently, received another car load last Wednesday, which they offer to the public.

It is said that the noted stallion George Wilkes has about 371 living foals. Forty-five of these have beaten the 2:30 record. Three of these were pacers and forty-two were trotters.

Ben Ragsdale, agent of the Southern Express Company here, was highly gratified Wednesday night by the receipt of a twelve pound package, "charges prepaid," landed to him by Dr. Henderson, with the compliments of Mrs. Ragsdale. The young man and his mother were doing well when we last heard from them.

Drs. Davidson and Glenn have formed a copartnership in the practice of dentistry, and will have their office in the Dickinson block, where Dr. Davidson's office has been for several months. By this arrangement one member of the firm can always be found in the office, thus insuring prompt attention to their friends.

Judge Livingston has withdrawn from the race for chancellor of this division, and Judge Somers will have no trouble in defeating Mr. Walker, the republican candidate. Judge Livingston has gained reputation for patriotism by his action and Judge Somers' friends will not forget him. All is now lovely in this division.

The "lawyers' convention," so-called by the Humboldt Messenger, did not convene at Rives. It was not necessary, as Judge Livingston had withdrawn from the race. By the way, the convention was to have been composed of the democratic committeemen and lawyers of the different counties, and not of lawyers alone.

## A Call.

The democrats of the 13th civil district are hereby called to meet in convention at the mayor's office, in Milan, Tenn., July 31st, 1886, 2 p. m., for the purpose of selecting delegates to the county convention, which meets in Trenton, Tenn., August 2d, 1886.

J. T. TUCKER,  
Chairman.

## PERSONAL.

Mrs. Geo. Durley has returned to her home at Tyro, Miss.

Mr. Rich Burrow and wife have returned from a visit to McKenzie.

Mrs. W. A. Evans and children, of Memphis, are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Thompson, of Trenton, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Clint Mathis, here.

Mr. Henry Polk and wife, of Memphis, visited the family of Mr. B. A. Shepherd several days this week.

Mr. G. W. Smith and family, of Newbern, are visiting the family of Mr. G. W. Williamson in this city.

Andrew Townes, one of our most popular young men, has gone to Cleburne, Texas, where he will teach school next fall and winter. The people there will gain a valuable citizen, which is Milan's loss.

Miss Dora Rankin left here last Monday morning for Montague, where she will spend several days enjoying the delicious mountain air. This is "missionary week" there and it is appropriate that our gifted young missionary should take part in the exercises.

Mr. Jas. W. Hays, one of the oldest and most successful salesmen on the road, was in town this week. He does a good business here, and our merchants are always glad to see him. He represents the jobbing house of McCord, Aydelott & Co., Louisville, about the heaviest dealers in hats, caps, gloves, etc., in the country.

Col. J. G. Mann has been promoted to the superintendency of all the southern lines of the Illinois Central road. Mr. Horace W. Clark has been promoted to the superintendency of this division. These changes take effect to-morrow. The Exchange congratulates both gentlemen and believes that the company has done itself a good turn in promoting them.

Col. R. F. Looney, of Memphis, one of East Tennessee's most distinguished citizens, was in our town yesterday. The Colonel is spoken of very kindly all over the state in connection with the governorship, and we are inclined to believe that he will walk off with the honors if East Tennessee does not. He is a large-bodied, big-brained, genial gentleman, well prepared physically and mentally to fill the high office of governor with honor to himself and his state.

## No "Coons" Wanted.

Jack Crim, colored, returned here from Cairo a few days since, where he has been living some time, working with a grocery and produce house. A short time since he was sent up the L. C. road to Anna, Ill., a red-hot republican town, to buy a lot of chickens, eggs, etc. While walking along the street, he was halted by a white man and asked what he was doing there. Jack stated his business and sauntered off slowly. But the Hoosier was not satisfied. He told Jack that "coons" were not allowed in that town, and he'd better move out quick. Jack found that the town was an unhealthy place for "niggers" and struck a bee line for the depot. He said he thought the folks looked at him "mighty curse" on the street, but didn't understand it until he found he was the only "nigger" in the town, and that they were about to mob him to get him away. Jack is a strong democrat now, and tells the negroes to go to Anna, Ill., if they wish to find out how well the republicans of the north love the colored race.

Try your luck and Hard Cash at Chambers' Cash House.

## BOB TAYLOR.

It was wonderful. Never before, since the war, was such a canvass made as Bob made. He captured the hearts of young men and old men. Now, with one accord they all cry, give us Bob or give us death. In vain have the republicans nominated Alf to shut off Bob. In vain do his opposers cry, he can not run against his brother. The answer comes back from the mountains of the east, from the billowy hills of Middle Tennessee: Give us Bob. The counties of Sullivan, Johnson, Cocke, Unicoi, Claiborne, Hancock, Hawkins, Lauderdale, Benton, Dixon, Madison, Moore, and many more, have already instructed for him, and still the tidal wave rolls on.

And what a canvass it will be when he meets Alf on the hustings! Never such was seen before. Brother against brother. Both fine speakers. The eyes of all the states of the Union will be on us. Voters will come from the hills and hollows, and from every nook and corner of every county in Tennessee, to hear and to see the wonderful combat.

It will be angry and bitter, you say, and will estrange the brothers. Oh, no, not at all. Both are men of excellent private character, and neither has an extended political record. There need be no ill-humored sparring, no sharp personalities. The day for that sort of political speaking passed away with Parson Brownlow and his crew. That kind of talk leaves the average crowd of sovereigns with teeth on edge. If you think a canvass can not be interesting without it, you have forgotten how Bob laid it on to Sam Hawkins, and how all democrats went away proud and joyful. Yet there was no bitterness and no billingsgate; and yet this was the very canvass that made Bob's reputation state-wide.

We want a big vote this year. We want to run our majority away up to the old figures, along into the forty thousands. All we need to do this is to get the democrats out. The stay-at-homes run our vote down last election. Bob and the unique canvass will bring them out from everywhere, and he will arouse them and enthruse them. A few of the political dudes around the cities, and some of the wire-working politicians may not want Bob, but the country people want him—the honest, hard-fisted, unselfish people from the country with no axe to grind. They want him, and they are determined to have him. They are concerned only for the honor and glory of the democratic party, and they want to see its banner carried high and proudly, and they want to hear a shout go up everytime the flagstaff is raised. They want no tame canvass. They want it lively and a great deal of it, and Bob is the man to put it up in that shape. He is one of the ablest men in the state, and is without a peer as a canvasser. He has triumphed over the republicans gloriously every time he has met them in political contest.

Give us Bob and we shall be happy.

Goods are so Cheap at Chambers' Cash House.

Just received at Owen Co.'s Cash House a full stock of the Latest Styles of Men's, Boys' and Children's Summer and Fall Hats, and a full line of Gentlemen's Fine Shoes. For a Stylish Hat or Shoe be sure to go to Owen & Co.

The Big Cheap August sale of Dry Goods at Chambers' Cash House.

## CONGRESSIONAL.

The democratic aspirants for congress spoke to a large crowd in the grove in front of Mr. G. W. Williamson's residence last Saturday afternoon. We do not consider it necessary to give a long report of the speeches, as, with slight variations, they were substantially agreed on all national questions. All acquitted themselves ably—not a poor speech was delivered. Mr. Bond was eloquent and entertaining; Mr. Latta made a strong argument in favor of stopping the coinage of silver; Mr. Caldwell was argumentative and interesting; Mr. Pierce was flowery and impressive; and Judge Carthel was logical and powerful in his arguments. The latter gentleman—our home man—made a strong and thoughtful speech, one which thinking men can consider and ponder over. He shows deep research and judicial training. If he is sent to congress, our district will be represented by one of the closest reasoners and hardest workers in that body. Messrs Bond and Caldwell tried hard to get Mr. Pierce to say whether he would abide by the action and support the nominee of the Brownsville convention, but, like the Irishman's flea, when they put a finger on him he was not there. He said if he went into the convention he would support the nominee; he would never do anything for the election of a republican. When asked if he would run as an independent candidate, he repeated that he would do nothing to elect a republican; but he would not say whether he would be an independent candidate or not. He left the impression on the audience that he would run as an independent if he found that he could not get the nomination at Brownsville, and lost friends here by not answering plainly yes or no. Numbers of them say they will not support him as an independent, as much as they admire him.

## The New State and County History.

Several members of the Goodspeed Publishing Company are now in Gibson county busily engaged in compiling the history of the county, for the forthcoming history of Tennessee. This work will embrace a voluminous and exhaustive history of the state, in connection with a thorough and detailed history of Gibson and adjoining counties. Mr. J. B. Wickard, who has charge of the work in this county, is now in Milan for the purpose of interviewing all of our leading citizens to secure biographical and other matter for the work. We hope that all will take an active interest in this commendable enterprise.

The Closing out August sale of Dry Goods at Chambers' Cash House.

## Everything on Wheels.

We have just received another car load of those celebrated stylish Tennessee Wagons. You ought to have one. Come and see them. They are beauties.

## EDWARDS & SHEPHERD.

## They Must Go.

We are compelled to have our House Remodeled, Papered and Painted before receiving our fall stock and our present stock must be rapidly reduced to make room for the workmen. Commencing to-day we cut the prices so low it will surprise you, and to make it lively during August we will give you the Biggest, Fatnest Bargains ever offered in Milan. Try the General Cash Bargain House. Chambers' Cash House.

Go where you can get Big Bargains at Chambers' Cash House.